

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

DANIELLE SANTOMENNO, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

John Hancock Life Insurance Company
(U.S.A.), John Hancock Investment
Management Services, LLC, John
Hancock Funds, LLC, and John
Hancock Distributors, LLC,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 2:10-cv-01655-WJM-MF
Document electronically filed.

**JOINT STIPULATION REGARDING BRIEFING SCHEDULE
AND PAGE LIMITS AND PROPOSED ORDER**

On November 9, 2010, the Court held a status conference during which the parties and the Court discussed, among other things, the schedule for Defendants' time to respond to Plaintiffs' Second Amended Complaint Class Action Complaint (the "SAC"), filed October 22, 2010.

The parties, having conferred, hereby stipulate to the following briefing schedule and page limits discussed with the Court during the November 9 status conference:

- Defendants shall file a consolidated motion to dismiss the SAC on or before December 21, 2010;
- Plaintiffs shall file their opposition to the motion to dismiss the SAC on or before January 21, 2011;
- Defendants shall file their reply in support of the motion to dismiss the SAC on or before February 4, 2011;
- Defendants' motion to dismiss the SAC shall not exceed 55 pages in aggregate in 14-point proportional font for their single, consolidated moving brief;

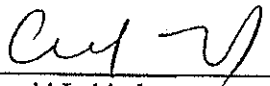
- Plaintiffs' brief in opposition to the motion to dismiss the SAC shall not exceed 55 pages in 14-point proportional font; and
- Defendants' consolidated reply brief in support of their motion to dismiss the SAC shall not exceed 25 pages in 14-point proportional font.

The Parties respectfully request that this Court enter this Stipulation as an Order.

Dated: November 9, 2010

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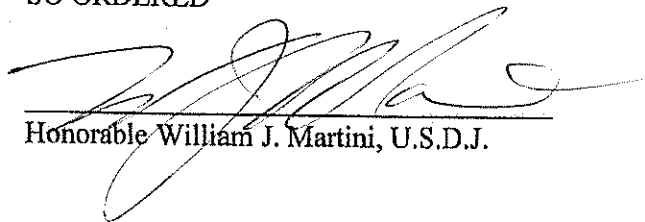

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SO ORDERED


Honorable William J. Martini, U.S.D.J.